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DISCOVER NEW PLANET; FOUND SCIENTIFIC INSTITUTE; SCIENTISTS MEET

NEW PLANET NAMED KOMSOMOLETS ... Pravda Ukrainy, 28 May 50

The Crimean Astrophysical Observatory recently discovered a new plant, which it named "Komecmolets."

WHITE SEA HAS NEW RIOLOGICAL STATION -- Leninskoye Znamya, 9 Apr 50

A new actentific institute, the White Sea Biological Station, has been erected in the Karelc-Finnish SSR. The station's main task is to study the productivity of the White Sea.

The station's director is Candidate of Biological Sciences Z. G. Palenichke. At present, scientists are engaged in developing theories based on data obtained during the first expeditions which went to study the White Sea resources.

UKRAINIAN ACADEMY OF SCIENCES MEETS -- Pravda Vostoka, 10 Dec 49

The general meeting of the Academy of Sciences Ukrainian SSR was held on 8 December in Kiev. Academician Secretary N. P. Semenenko made a speech on the academy's scientific research plan for 1950. The plan, according to Semenenko, presents 142 problems of great scientific and national importance. It provides for 80 scientific expeditions, in which geologists, botanists, zoologists, sylviculturists, archarologists, philologists, and other scientific workers will take part.

V. Ye. Lashkarev spoke on plans for new scientific research academies to be constructed in 1950. F. P. Belyankin, member of the Academy of Sciences Ukrainian SSR, in his speech on the academy's publishing plan for 1950 stated that 303 scientific works having a volume of over 4,000 printed pages will be published in 1950. The published work of the Academy of Sciences Ukrainian SSR for 1950 will nearly double that of 1949.

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